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## PETITION TO REVIVE PATENT APPLICATION FOR UNINTENTIONAL FAILURE TO TIMELY RESPOND TO AN OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop: PETITION Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), Applicants hereby petition to revive the above-identified patent application, which was unintentionally abandoned. The above-identified application was abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 31, 2005.

The following authorizations and statements are provided in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b):

- (1) Applicant files herewith a required response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(1) to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 31, 2005.
- (2) Authorization to charge the petition fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(m)) is set forth below in Paragraph (3).
- (3) Fees:

a. Petition Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(m))

\$ 1,500.00

b. TOTAL FEES DUE:

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the total fees due in the amount of \$1,500.00, any deficiencies in the enclosed fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2384. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

(4) As set forth above, the entire delay in the filing of the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this Petition was unintentional. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request that the subject application be revived.

Respectfully Submitted,

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